Alumni Dispatch

FROM THE President

Greetings to the MCPAAA Members;

At our July and August meetings, nominations will be taken for officers of the Mashpee Citizen Police Academy Alumni Assoc. Board of Directors. If you are interested in a position on the Board, please let me know. All positions are open for nominations. You may self-nominate. The following Members of the current Board have agreed to run for another year. Ron Percy, Vice President, Bob Barr, Secretary, and John Campbell, Treasurer.

I have accepted a full time job and unfortunately will not be able to run for the position of President this year, as this job has me working weekends as well as weekdays.

It has been many great years serving as your president of this organization and I have met many wonderful friends and have gained much knowledge as to the workings of a police department. I want to thank Ron Percy, my Vice-President, for being at my side for as many years as I have been President, and Secretary Bob Barr, who has been on our Board also for many years. Thank you to John Campbell for his service as Treasurer this year, and to Vye Larkin, Ginny McIntyre, Evano Cunha for their past service to this Board as Treasurer and Secretary. I couldn't have performed this job without their help.

I would also like to thank Ron Allen, for his support and guidance as my first Liaison to the department. The Members shared many good times with him and to John Dimitres our present Liaison for his support this past year.

Thank you to all the MCPAAA Members for supporting me and this organization through the various assignments the police department called upon us to perform, and for the many fund-raisers that the Members tirelessly participated in to raise funds for the station's needs. It has been an honor to lead this great group since June, 2006.

I will continue to be a member of the MCPAAA, and will assist whenever my schedule allows.

Sincerely;

Kathy Fitzpatrick President MCPAAA

Upcoming Events:

- July 1 Community Picnic, Mashpee High School, parking cars only, 3pm
- July 6 Monthly CPAAA Meeting, 7 pm; Steering Committee Mtg. 6:30pm
- July 24 Mashpee Night at the Pops, parking cars only, 3-5pm
- Aug. 3 Monthly CPAAA Meeting, 7 pm; Steering Committee Mtg. 6:30pm
- Aug. 7 OC Certification Course, MPD Station, 9am - Noon (See Page 2)

July Meeting Guest Speaker

Debbie Dami, Town Clerk

Debbie will explain her roll and the roll of her department within the operations of Town Government.

CPAA Meetings

Tuesdays, 7:00 PM

July 6 Aug. 3 Sept. 7

Officers - 2009-2010

President - Kathy Fitzpatrick Vice President - Ron Percy

Treasurer - John Campbell Secretary - Bob Barr

Newsletter Editor: Mary Tischler

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CPAAA Summer Cookout 2010

CPAAA UPDATES

- ◆ Thursday, July 1 3p.m. The annual Community Picnic and fireworks will be held at the High School. Members are needed to park cars. Bring a chair and relax afterwards and enjoy the festivities, food and fireworks.
- <u>Saturday</u>, <u>July 24 3-5 p.m.</u> Mashpee Concert Night. Parking AND to patrol the Commons during the concert to assist the officers in crowd control. Please report to the station for instruction and placement in uniform and ID. Bring your water bottle.
- <u>Saturday</u>, <u>August 7</u>, <u>2010 9am Noon</u> An OC spray (pepper spray) class will be held at the station. Applications available on the sign up table or in your newsletter.
- Nominations: Nominations for 2010 elections to be held at the September meeting will be taken at this time. Positions open are: President, Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer.
- Holiday Party Committee: Marge Phillips is chairperson. If you are interested in assisting her in finding a suitable location for the annual MCPAAA holiday party/dinner, please sign up.
- Thank You! The Board wishes to thank the following members for volunteering at last month's events. Youth Fishing Derby, Mert Sapers and Joe Ringer. Mashpee High School Graduation, Marge Phillips, Tom Westmoreland, Mert Sapers, Judy Smith, Joe Ringer, Vye Larkin and Kathy Fitzpatrick.
- ◆ Thank You! to Marge Phillips and Tom Westmoreland for hosting the annual BBQ at their home. Many members came by for a wonderful array of food, desserts, and conversation. It was nice to visit with Helen, Chris and Bobby who drove down from NH to see everyone.

Saturday, August 7, 9am—Noon

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Instructor *Tom Archambault*, is a former Yarmouth Police officer and a former Mass. State Police Officer assigned to the DEA Task Force.

Registration forms for the course will be available at the July 6 meeting. All forms and payment are to be given to Mary Tischler, who will submit them for the group.

An FID card will be required before you can received your pepper spray unit.

Completed applications along with firearms safety course certificates (if applicable) must be submitted to the Mashpee Police Station one week prior to the date you return for the fingerprinting and photograph process.

http://www.ci.mashpee.ma.us/Pages/MashpeeMA_Police/ General/firearmslic

If you have any questions please contact Mary Cassanelli at 508.539.1480 ext 249. Mary works Monday and Wednesday evenings from 6:30 - 9pm. Please make an appointment with Mary to have your fingerprints and photo taken.



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